

RECEIVED  
CENTRAL FAX CENTER**FAX TRANSMISSION**

NOV 09 2006

DATE: November 9, 2006

PTO IDENTIFIER: Application Number 10/570,804  
Patent Number

Inventor: Gunnar Heydrich et al.

MESSAGE TO: US Patent and Trademark Office

FAX NUMBER: (571) 273-8300

FROM: CONNOLLY BOVE LODGE &amp; HUTZ LLP

Burton A. Amernick

PHONE: (202) 331-7111

Attorney Dkt. #: 13156-00038-US1

PAGES (Including Cover Sheet): 11

CONTENTS: Response to Office Action (9 pages)  
Certificate of Transmission (1 page)

If your receipt of this transmission is in error, please notify this firm immediately by collect call to sender at (202) 331-7111 and send the original transmission to us by return mail at the address below.

This transmission is intended for the sole use of the individual and entity to whom it is addressed, and may contain information that is privileged, confidential and exempt from disclosure under applicable law. You are hereby notified that any dissemination, distribution or duplication of this transmission by someone other than the intended addressee or its designated agent is strictly prohibited.

CONNOLLY BOVE LODGE & HUTZ LLP  
1990 M Street, N.W., Suite 800, Washington, DC 20036  
Telephone: (202) 331-7111 Facsimile:

RECEIVED  
CENTRAL FAX CENTER

NO. 6611 P. 2

NOV 09 2006

PTO/SB/97 (09-04)

Approved for use through 07/31/2006. OMB 0651-0031

U. S. Patent and Trademark Office; U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1996, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

Application No. (if known): 10/570,804

Attorney Docket No.: 13156-00038-US1

**Certificate of Transmission under 37 CFR 1.8**

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the United States Patent and Trademark Office.

on November 9, 2006  
Date



Signature

Nicole Brown

Typed or printed name of person signing Certificate

Registration Number, if applicable

Telephone Number

Note: Each paper must have its own certificate of transmission, or this certificate must identify each submitted paper.

Response to Office Action (9 pages)

NOV. 9. 2006 4:20PM

CBL&H 202 293 6229

RECEIVED NO. 6611 P. 3  
CENTRAL FAX CENTER  
NOV 9 2006

Docket No.: 13156-00038-US1  
(PATENT)

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of:  
Gunnar Heydrich et al.

Application No.: 10/570,804

Confirmation No.: 4880

Filed: March 6, 2006

Art Unit: 1621

For: PROCESS FOR WORKING UP  
COMPOSITIONS CONTAINING 1,1,2,2-  
TETRAMETHOXYETHANE AND GLYOXAL  
DIMETHYL ACETAL

Examiner: Keys, Rosalynd Ann

**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111**

MS Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

This is in response to the office action dated October 4, 2006.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.